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### Local Items

Dr. Bruce will be in Coleman on Sep. 18, 19, 20.

O. E. S. Whiteside paid a visit to Lethbridge on Wednesday.

The new Presbyterian church at Hillcrest was formally opened last week.

Mrs. J. W. Gresham of Frank was in town on Monday last.

R. R. Webb was a business visitor to Fernie this week.

The act for incorporation is only awaiting executive assent.

Dr. Macdonald of Frank visited Coleman on Wednesday evening.

T. Crahan, proprietor of the Michel Hotel, returned from Vancouver on Wednesday evening.

Miss A. Smith of Blairmore visited Coleman on Wednesday evening.

T. Humphries, post-office inspector was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy arrived in town on Thursday. Mr. Kennedy expects to open up a tailor shop next week.

THE SLOVER-CANADIAN has been changed into a Magazine and will now appear every second week.

It is reported that the AL G. Barnet Circus will visit Coleman en route for the Nelson Fair.

Rev. J. F. Hunter, W. Howe and J. Hamer were among the visitors from Blairmore on Wednesday evening.

A. A. Paul has opened up his photo tent at Blairmore. He will be pleased to meet patrons from Coleman.

E. Crawford, of the I. C. & C. Co. is visiting his parents at Hayfield Ont. He will be gone several weeks.

A. C. Flumerfelt, director of the Eastern Townships Bank and H. B. Galar, president of the I. C. & C. Co. were in town on Monday and Tuesday.

J. W. Gresham, G. Patinson, W. Simpson and Rev. McCall were among the Laymen's Missionary Banquet on Wednesday evening.

The Rebecca Social will be held on Sept. 22nd. The admission will be 50c. per couple and everyone has been extended a cordial invitation irrespective of any lodge affiliations.

DIED-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Murr died on Tuesday evening. The child was only seven days old. The funeral took place at the Protestant cemetery on Wednesday at 3 p.m. Rev. T. M. Murray conducted the services.

The Burt Insion Co opened up at the Opera House last night to a fair but well pleased house, the drama was well rendered and the specialties headed by Master Robert St. Clair were good. To-night the great drama "Only a Farmers Daughter" with new specialties by the Company. Saturday afternoon a Bargain Matinee at 2:30 p.m. on which occasion the screening farce "The Man from Albany" Bargain Prices 10c. children 5c. Adults. At night the great drama in 4 acts "Hip Van Winkle" with a strong cast and up-to-date specialties between the acts.

## BOARD OF TRADE MEETS

Advertising and Road Questions Discussed. Road Must be Built.

The regular meeting of the Coleman Board of Trade was held in the council chamber, on Tuesday at 2 p.m. President Ouimette occupied the chair. There were present Messrs. Cameron, Manley, Disney, Buchanan, Gate, Morrison, Graham Scott, Evans, Murray, Davies, Bridgford, Janostok, Pisony, MacLean and Brandon. In the absence of Messrs. R. R. Webb, H. Gate acted as secretary.

Before the regular business was proceeded with, Mr. Robinson of Toronto, addressed the board at some length. He brought forward the value of municipal advertising. He claimed that much good would result from a systematic plan of advertising in a municipal illustrated book which would have an immense circulation in Eastern Canada and Britain. The cost of this advertisement together with hand-booklet to be 180 dollars.

The President then called upon the members to discuss the taking of this advertisement. Alex. Cameron as chairman of the council, couldn't say definitely whether the council could make an appropriation at once or not, as the funds of the town were shortly to pass into the hands of a new council. It was possible that he would not be there so he could make no specific statement.

President Ouimette stated that after incorporation the aspect of the whole question might be changed.

L. A. Manly stated that an advertisement to be of much good must contain specialized advantages and industries. The object of this municipal advertising was to increase the population. However, he was willing to do his share.

E. Disney thought we should take advantage of advertising. Coleman cannot be advertised too much, especially when we have something here to attract people. He thought the council should be asked for a grant.

R. B. Buchanan declared that the book had attained great prominence and was a splendid scheme for a young town.

T. W. Davies and F. G. Graham both thought favorably of it, as Coleman should be kept before the public eye. A. M.

Morrison stated that at present we have no money and thought we had better wait until some more favorable time in the future.

Messrs. Gate, Evans, Bridgford and Brandon also contributed to the debate.

It was then moved by A. M. Morrison and seconded by L. A. Manly, that the president name a committee of three to interview Mr. Robinson, and also if terms are favorable to ask council to back up proposition. The committee appointed were Messrs. Morrison, Manly and Scott. The President thanked Mr. Robinson for his interesting address.

Regular business was then proceeded with.

The minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

The President reported that a letter had been sent to Mr. Robertson in regard to quality of clay for making brick.

The committee of Messrs. Ouimette and Cameron on the hospital, reported that they had been interviewed by two Sisters of Providence. The outcome being that a gentleman will be sent, who will give more data in regard to the building of a hospital.

John Anderson and Percy Willmott were proposed and accepted as members of the Board of Trade.

F. G. Graham next brought up the question of building a sidewalk around the bluff, the same to be 1515 feet long and to cost about 1,200.00 dollars. Mr. Graham thought a trail would be useless, and as a road could not be built until next spring, this ten foot sidewalk would serve the Fire Brigade and a great help to the school children of West Coleman.

J. M. Scott thought that a road could be built over the same course and wanted the Board to stick to proposition.

L. A. Manly stated that he had interviewed A. C. Flumerfelt and Mr. Flumerfelt had promised to interview C. P. R. officials and obtain for the town a right of way around the bluff.

A. M. Morrison thought that something must be done in view of the government completing road around the upper road. Government had no money and

there was bound to be a delay. People in Slav town were promised that bluff would be blown out. The sidewalk appealed strongly to him if the C. P. R. did not grant right of way. Alex. Cameron stated that we were in duty bound to make a road to Slav town. The sidewalk should be used only when all else is gone. There is a future for Coleman and the upbuilding devolves on the citizens themselves. If it is possible to secure a right of way we should get it at once. But at present the state of our funds will not permit of building without borrowing.

W. Evans believed that Mr. Manly's plan was best. The wagon road was best for winter.

T. W. Davies thought that it was a hard matter to put road in over the other side of the bluff. He was not surprised at the resentment of Slav town, as there had been several narrow escapes.

S. Janostok wondered how it was possible to build a road on C. P. R. lands.

It was then moved by L. A. Manly and seconded by A. Cameron that President Ouimette should be a committee with power to add, to interview A. E. S. Whiteside about putting cinders on road to Slav town.

It was moved by A. Cameron and seconded by T. B. Brandon and carried that Messrs. Ouimette, Manly and Morrison co-operate with the council and prepare plans for Mr. Flumerfelt when he interviews the C. P. R.

The road to Blairmore was brought up by F. G. Graham. It was found that several lots would have to be bought from the company so as to follow government road.

The following motion was then put and carried that "It having been represented to the Board that the cost of building the streets to the east to connect with the government road over the streets as already laid out, will cost more than acquiring lots from the company in which to build the street, the council be requested to look into the matter and if decided satisfactory to at once secure lots required.

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### Cabinet

#### Bowling Alley

The American Box Ball Alleys are in First Class working order now.

We are putting on a special for those who wish to learn and enjoy the game.

From 1.30 to 5.30 p.m., the alleys may be rented by any club or persons for the sum of \$3.00.

This Offer extends till Sept. 15th

These Alleys may be made ready for use on any day.

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Plaster, Coast Flooring,  
Mouldings, Doors and  
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Shall she choose a ring, brooch, or chain? We invite all perplexed jewelry buyers to come in and view splendid

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filled with surprises in beauty, design and price. We replenished this stock by taking advantage of a rare chance to secure a suitable stock at middle-of-the-season's prices. Buying your means treating bank interest, jeweled rings, stick pins, brooches, high-grade watches, our guarantee with every sale.

**Alex. Camron's**

Watchmaker, Optician  
and Issuer of Marriage Licenses

Coleman plays Michel at 4-45 Saturday afternoon. Come and support the home team.



## Experimenting Cost \$100 \$1.00 Paid for the Cure

Rheumatism Disappeared When the  
Poisons Were Removed from the  
System by DR. CHASE'S  
KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

Experiments are sometimes necessary and almost always expensive. It is usually wise to let others do the experimenting and profit by their experience.

When it is a matter of regulating the liver, kidneys and bowels, and driving out of the system the poisons which cause rheumatism, backache, lumbago and other pains and aches, experience has proven that Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills are the most effective treatment available.

They are different from ordinary kidney medicines in that they regulate the liver and bowels, as well as the kidneys, and in this way get at the very source of trouble.

Let others experiment if they will. This letter shows what experimenting cost one man, and many have had somewhat similar experience.

Mr. James Clarke, Maidstone, Sask.

### Our Language

"He rendered his part of the programme well," he said to his partner at the musical.

"Hush! He might overhear you. He's a sport packer," she whispered.—Buffalo Express.

### BABY'S TERRIBLE ECZEMA

Hands Tied to Prevent Scratching.

Five Doctors Failed to Relieve, but Zam-Buk Worked a Cure.

Mrs. Shas. Lever, of Prescott, North Channel, Ont., tells how Zam-Buk cured her baby. She says: "My baby's head and face was one complete mass of sores. The itching and irritation were fearful, and the little one's night was so restless that at one time we feared her ears would be eaten off by the disease.

"We had to keep her hands tied for days to prevent her rubbing and scratching the sores. Doctor after doctor treated her in vain, until we had five doctors, and at the end of that time I am glad to say Zam-Buk had effected a complete cure."

Mrs. Holmes, of 30 Guise street, Hamilton, is quite as eloquent in her praise. She says: "Zam-Buk cured my boy of boils and eruptions when all else failed."

"Zam-Buk is a wonderful preparation, and mothers throughout the world would always keep it handy."

For eczema, eruptions, rashes, teething, ringworm, and all skin diseases, Zam-Buk is without equal. It also cures cuts, burns, scalds, piles, abscesses, chronic sores, blood poisoning, etc. All druggists and stores at 50 cents a box, or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. Refuse imitations.

A man doesn't mind being teased by his wife if he isn't.

### Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . 25 cents.

### Getting Ready

Jones (at telephone)—Hello, Mary. I just called you up to say that as soon as I get home I'm going to discharge that cook. She's no good.

Mrs. Jones—All right, John. By the way, stop at some drug store coming home and get some arnica, some liniment and a package of court plaster. I have plenty of lint and splints.—St. Paul Dispatch.

"I don't like to see a woman play for money," said the bridge whist player.

"You don't! Why do you go to the theatre then?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Very many persons die annually from cholera and kindred summer complaints, who might have been saved if proper remedies had been used. If attacked do not delay in getting a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. It can be got at small cost at any drug store or general dealer's, and it will afford relief before a doctor can be called.

"I suppose," began the inquiring summer visitor engagingly, "that the wealth in this part of New Hampshire is in the soil?"

The native regarded the shining blade of his scythe reflectively. "I reckon it is," he mildly answered, "I don't know anybody hereabouts that ever got any out of it."—Youth's Companion.

No better cigarette the world over than

### WESTMINSTER ABBEY.

The Origin of the Old Saying, "Robbing Peter to Pay Paul."

The greatest landmark in London is doubtless St. Paul's. Its massive outline and lofty towering dome, whether seen from the busy street or the quiet river constitutes a characteristic feature and forms a picture which out of countless spectacles and the blur of seemingly endless traffic most visitors take away with them as the predominant impression of the greatest city in the world.

It is, however, to Westminster Abbey that the tourist naturally turns when he desires to see a standing embodiment of antiquity and the greatest of the British Empire. It is more than 600 years older than St. Paul's. Founded in 1065 by the gentle King, Edward the Confessor, it saw in the following year the coronation of Norman William and the establishment of the present royal line. Filled with the tombs of kings and poets, warriors and statesmen, of prelates and philosophers, it appeals alike to the memory and the imagination and arouses an interest that goes on increasing with the flow of time.

Yet says a writer in The Washington Post, of the hundreds of thousands of foreigners who visit Westminster Abbey annually, it is safe to say that but an infinitesimal minority is aware of the proper style and title of the venerable pile. Nor is this strange, for the British people themselves have in the long lapse of ages and in the vicissitudes which have befallen the centuries forgotten it. The late Dean Stanley, who loved the glorious old church with a great love, once remarked that there were probably but few Englishmen who care to be reminded that the full title of Westminster Abbey is the Collegiate Church, or Abbey of St. Peter.

Stanley also adopted the opinion generally held that the proverb "Robbing Peter to pay Paul" took its origin from the diversion of certain of the abbey estates about 1500 from their original purpose to the benefit of the old St. Paul's. This view may, however, reasonably be doubted, for the saying "Crucifying Paul to redeem Peter" is traceable as far back as the twelfth century, and the phrase "Robbing St. Peter to clothe St. Paul," found in 1515, and in a similar location, occurs in early French.

The form of the expression now in vogue was solidified and rendered current by the agitation started in the city of London proper, as distinct from the city of Westminster, where the story stands that the late Earl of Chatham should be buried in St. Paul's. To deprive the abbey, however, of its last and most distinguished enshrining the remains of the greatest statesman that in her proud history, England has produced would be to rob Peter to pay Paul with a vengeance, and the saying, so trivially handed about by the regulars, has since had an abiding place in the English language.

### Queen Mother's Kindness.

Lord Tennyson, the late poet laureate, used to relate a story showing the thoughtfulness of Queen Alexandra. It was on the occasion of a voyage with Mr. Gladstone, and many distinguished people were on board. Tennyson, as related by a friend of his, read, "The Grandmother," and a young lady whom I didn't know on the other. The wind came through an open window, and the princess whispered, "Put on your hat," but I said I ought, if possible, to make myself better than ever before. So many royalties. She said again, "Oh, put it on," so I did, and I heard afterwards that the King of Denmark's court fool, who was in the background (they really kept a court fool), remarked "He may be laureate, but he has not learned court manners." When I was done the ladies praised me and I patted the unknown one on the back by way of reply, and presently I found that she was the Empress of Russia.

"Had you any talk with the Czar?"

"Hardly any. He said he couldn't speak English. Perhaps he was disgusted at my patting his wife on the back. His head was up in the cabin ceiling as he walked about below."

### Gypsy Wordless Language.

To communicate with one another, gypsies now use letters—and they use the telegraph, too, when necessary—especially in this country. But the modern Romany also follows the "patteran," tracing the footsteps, or wagon tracks, of his friends on the road by the same method employed by his ancient prototype, reading directions where no words are written as clearly as the gorgio does a roadside signboard. But the patteran can be read by the gypsy only—it is hidden and secret, although it may be in plain sight, as a signboard is open and public. The patteran may be formed of sticks or stones or grass, placed cross fashion at the parting of roads, or in such manner that only a gypsy would instantly notice and understand. To him it means much; and of all the directions taken by Romany peddlers.

### Birth Taxes in England.

The reign of Henry VIII. should have been a good one for the barbers. Men were then taxed for wearing beards and the tax was graduated according to the social standing of the wearer. A sheriff at Canterbury paid three shillings and fourpence for the privilege of wearing whiskers. Queen Elizabeth was even more stringent. She decreed a tax on every beard of over two weeks' growth. At one time there was a tax levied on births, a child's head being adopted. The child of a duke cost its father £100 in 1605, while the tax was only two shillings on the child of a commoner. Widowers and bachelors also were taxed.



## ROYAL YEAST CAKES

MOST PERFECT MADE

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### For Ladies Only

Lady (annoyed by the constant yelling of baby)—Poor little dear! Is it a boy or a girl?

Mother (delighted at the attention)—A boy.

Lady—Well, perhaps you couldn't mind getting out at the next station. What's he doing in a ladies' compartment, anyhow?—London Sketch.

Comfort for the Dyspeptic.—There is no ailment so harassing and exhausting as dyspepsia, which arises from defective action of the stomach and liver, and the victim of it is to be pitied. Yet he can find ready relief in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, a preparation that has established itself by years of effective use. These are pills that are widely advertised as the greatest ever compounded, but not one of them can rank in value with Parmelee's.

They were autoing through a deep wood, and he had told her of the bandit that used to be there.

"What a romantic place to be held up in!" exclaimed the maiden. Then he held her up.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

The story is told of an Irishman who, while walking with his friend, passed a jewellery store where there were a lot of precious stones in the window.

"Would you not like to have your pick?" asked Paul. "Not me pick, but me shovel," said Mike.

Red, Waxy, Watery Eyes Relieved by Murine Eye Remedy Try Murine for your Eyes. You will like Murine. It Soothes 50c at Your Druggists. Write for Free Booklet. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Toronto.

### Juvenile Depravity

Tommy—I'd like to have you come an' join our Sunday school class. Little Clarence—I don't know about going to Sunday school, I am not sure that I like the immortality of the soul.

Tommy—Why, turn your eye, you don't have to believe in the immortality of the soul—Chicago Tribune.

Unfortunately the collector's bills are never counterfeited.

### Has His Own Value.

Get to the deeper significance of a man, and you will understand that he is himself and has his own value. Let him leave his task undone, his word unsaid, and under and unsaid they will for ever remain. This is the proud thought that inspires a famous passage in George Eliot's "Stradivarius."

Naldo: What, were God at fault for violins, thous about? Stradivarius: Yes! God were at fault for violins.

If my hand slackened, I should rob God, none is fullest good.

Leaving a blank instead of violins. He could not make Antonio Stradivari's violins.

Without Antonio.

—Great Thoughts.

### The Quality of Mercy

See the woman. Why is the woman's hat trimmed with a nestful of little birdsling with the mother bird brooding them?

It is because the woman is merciful. The woman wishes to bring her hat with the mother bird alone, but rather than to leave the birdsling starve she trims it with the whole family.

Must it not feel lovely to be merciful like that?

### Then There Was a Hush

"It's easy to see," said Mr. Blower, "which side of the house the boy gets his temper from."

"And also easy," replied Mr. Blower, "to see where he gets his inability to control it."

### Then She Understood

Birdie McGinnis (to her best young man)—Did you meet father last night as you were going out?

"No. We were both going in the same direction, only I was about two feet ahead."

## NA-DRU-CO Headache-Wafers

stop the meanest, nastiest, most persistent headaches in half an hour or less. We guarantee that they contain no opium, morphine or other poisonous drugs. 25c. a box at your druggist's, or by mail from

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A photograph reproduction of this great painting, 22x28 inches in size—the largest photograph ever printed. PRICE 25c. POSTAGE PREPAID.



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Newspaper enterprise, lacking modern mechanical progress, makes it possible to put this work of art into the hands of the public at this nominal cost.

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Yours truly,

Name.....

Address.....

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## Blood Poisoning Started from Wound

An Accident Which Threatened Worst Results Until DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT WAS APPLIED

No wound or hurt but has most serious possibilities unless antiseptic treatment is applied to prevent blood poisoning.

Lives are often saved by having at hand a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Its antiseptic properties prevent blood poisoning and it is so remarkably healing that cure is soon brought about.

This case will interest you. Mrs. C. Hoskins, St. George, Ont., writes: "I feel like shouting the praises of Dr. Chase's Ointment. One day last year, while threshing, my son got badly hurt by having the prongs of a fork run into his leg. In a day or two it began to get very sore and blood poisoning set in. We did everything for it but it would heal in one place and break out in another. This kept on for three months, when finally we

got a box of Dr. Chase's Ointment. "In about a week's time we noticed a wonderful change and by using three boxes we were cured. My husband was cured of a bad case of piles by the use of two boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment. It is a wonderful ointment."

Dr. Chase's Ointment is useful in scores of ways in every home. While its great reputation has been made as a cure for eczema and piles there is not a case of itching or irritated skin disease in which it will fail to bring relief.

The better you become acquainted with Dr. Chase's Ointment, the better you will appreciate its wonderful soothing, healing qualities. Any druggist will tell you of its remarkable record for cures.

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cts. a box, dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto. Write for free copy of Dr. Chase's Recipes.

### Limited Knowledge

"Do you believe that great wealth has a tendency to keep a man out of heaven?" queried the party who was addicted to the condumium habit.

"I am not prepared to express an opinion on the subject," answered the student of human nature, "but I know that great wealth has kept many a man out of the penitentiary."

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Walding, Kinnear & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Seasons of the Past

Irate Guest—"Look here, waiter, what kind of a dinner was that you served me? Why the vegetables were stale!"

Waiter (bristling up)—"Yo-ah wrong ash. I served you with all the delicacies of the season."

Irate Guest—"Which season?"

Faultless in Preparation.—Unlike any other stomach regulator, Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are the result of long study of vegetable compounds calculated to stimulate the stomachic functions and maintain them at the normal condition. Years of use have proved their faultless character and established their excellent reputation. And this reputation they have maintained, for these pills must always stand at the head of the list of standard preparations.

Mr. Peck—"This talking-machine record is filled with so many remarks by Mrs. Peck."

Oldbath—"It's wonderful to think that you can hear the voice of one who is not present."

Mr. Peck—"And more wonderful that I can stop it just as easily!"

"After all, the sum of happiness may be totalled up in three words," said she.

"What on earth are they?" inquired her partner in life's joys and sorrows.

"Oh, I thought you meant 'Pay to the bearer.'"

### Frozen

Dick—"Yes, after she had consumed the third plate of ice cream she said her love for the young man was that treating her could be no longer concealed."

Dolly—"Three plates of ice cream? H'm I should think it would have been congealed."

## SHOE POLISH

No bottles—liquids—mops or hard work. #2 in 1" shines instantly and gives a hard, brilliant, lasting, waterproof polish. Contains no Turpentine, Acids or other injurious ingredients. ALL DEALERS, 10c.

THE F. P. DALLEY CO. LIMITED, Hamilton, Ont., and Buffalo, N.Y.

## The Scarlet Letter of Quality, the Red W.

It stands for unequalled merit, entire reliability and invariable uniformity in

RIFLES, SHOTGUNS AND AMMUNITION of all kinds. It means that goods

so marked are of Winchester make and "Winchester make" means the highest quality of guns and ammunition that can be produced. For your protection always look for the Red W.

Winchester Rifles, Shotguns, Shotguns and Cartridges for sale everywhere.

WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS CO., NEW HAVEN, CONN.

## REFORM IN BRITISH PRISONS.

Churchill Boldly Says What Many Have Tried to Do.

Right Hon. Winston Churchill, the new English Home Secretary, has, during the few months he has been in office, boldly done what many English prison reformers have vainly endeavored to get done for years.

This brilliant young politician has announced a series of reforms in the British penitentiary system. It is said that Churchill will do more than mitigate the horrors of solitary imprisonment. He will introduce legislation dealing with offenders between the ages of 16 and 21. Instead of being sent to prison the youths who have not committed serious offenses will be subjected merely to some sort of drill or physical instruction which will be both punitive and salutary. This reform, it is believed, will save 5,000 men from prison every year.

There will be changes in the treatment of political offenders, including suffragettes. They will enjoy many privileges and will be allowed to work. There will be no compulsory free exercise, no search, no hair-cutting and no shaving.

Free exercise will be the right of conversation will be permitted twice daily, also visits from friends, and books after about a year in the country.

Whistler's Frugality.

Whistler was extremely frugal and abstemious. He ate and drank moderately of the plainest fare. He liked dainty dishes and a rare old wine, but had a horror of the "gongol board" at huge state feasts and formal banquets. He could cook quite decently himself and sometimes made an omelet or scrambled eggs, but these culinary feats I never saw performed. His famous Sunday lunches were always late in being served, outrageously delayed without apparent cause. It was no uncommon thing for us to wait an hour or even two for the eggs, fish, cutlets and a sweet dish, of which the meal consisted, says a recent writer.

A bottle of very ordinary white wine was our only drink. The whole thing was an "arrangement"—just a color scheme in yellows to match his "blue and white" old porcelain and his blue and yellow dining-room.

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## GOLF AND THE DEVIL

Bobby Burns' Tale of the Genesis of the Game of "Golf."

Robert Burns always said the devil invented golf to catch the souls of Calvinists who were proof against other snares. Bobby told a company of teetotalers in an Ayrshire tavern that the devil sent a pretty woman once to share a pious shepherd of Ayr.

"Fruit-a-tives" was for his sanctity and dourness. In time the lady returned to the devil minus her jewels and cash, weeping with mortification over her failure.

"Never mind, my dear," said the devil, grimly, "I'll get him." Catching one of the ladies rolling down her cheek, he changed it into a golf ball, and laid it in the field where the saintly shepherd could see. Then he and the woman sat down to await results. Presently the old shepherd saw the ball and struck at it, carelessly with his crook and missed it; he tried again and missed it; then he rose angrily and aimed at it viciously, and missed it.

Now he was both ignorant and interested, and went at the ball with brute-sail, fooling and failing until his face was red and wet, and the heather rang with profanity. The shepherd abandoned flock and dog to have it out with the ball all day and night, and the devil and the lady came to watch him. Soon all his pious neighbors joined him.

There was a great deal of laughing and weeping to hear the truly good swear and see them sweat. The ball bewitched them all, and the devil—good, orthodox, Presbyterian devil—evil horns and hoofs and tail—smiled, and at the end of a week said to the lady, "I've got him, never get away from me!" The woman, piqued at the failure of her charms, could not see how the ball or the game helped the devil any better than she had done.

The ball is merely an innocent incident in the devil's plan to win "its simplicity and lack of guile catch the most holy. I win on the language incidental to the game, and the Scot I can't beat with you I can with this ball."

The lady smiled and nodded, and answered, "I am glad you discovered a rural substitute for my sex; as for me, these rural saints bore and irritate me. I will go back to the sphere where I am supreme, the city. I do not relish competing with a bludgeon and a ball."

The woman went back to town; but golf remained a labor-saving device of the devil.

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### EDITORIAL NOTES

Coleman is becoming the  
convention centre of the Pass.

The storm in Gleichen is mak-  
ing the constituency Riley.

An election by acclamation is  
desirable because we will have  
desirable candidates.

One candidate in the field al-  
ready. There ought to be a good  
fall crop.

A sidewalk over the bluff is a  
blessing in sight. It will be  
trampled on at once.

The number of new town lots  
on the market is a good index  
of Coleman's expansion.

All good things come in their  
time, among them is incorpora-  
tion.

Come and see Coleman, is the  
best advertising motto we can  
put before enquiring prospec-  
tive newcomers.

It is to be hoped that council-  
or Graham can be induced to  
stand for the new council. Men  
of his value are badly needed.

Public spirit is like religion,  
it is only worth something when  
you give it away. In this case  
give it to Coleman.

The more a man runs for alder-  
man the more wind he gets  
or to be correct the more the  
public get.

Any man who strives for a  
seat on the council should not  
have any personal emolument  
up his sleeve. We only want  
public spirited men. It is to be  
hoped the spirit moves seven  
of them.

Uncle Sam is wearing his  
whiskers longer since the de-  
cision of the Hague tribunal. The  
judges saw through them last  
time.

Bennett, the corporation mag-  
nate, is about to lecture to the  
Gleichen constituents. His text  
is anti-Sifton, his language anti-  
written and his arguments  
anti-fittin'.

In the course of three weeks  
we will experience the lofty per-  
claims of our aldermanic can-  
didates. Civic patriotism will be  
extolled as high as the bluff.  
Gilt edged financing will become  
a specialty and voters will be  
favored by a gladsome smile.

The Missionary banquet is  
over and a most instructive  
evening was spent. The attend-  
ance of the members and the  
earnestness of the speakers  
shows plainly that the people  
of the west are realizing the  
need for medical and missionary  
work in the inefficient East.

High tariff walls are being  
slowly battered down. In Can-  
ada a stone falls every time the  
farmers talk. In Britain John  
Bull uses a sledge hammer  
everytime a Balfour frost turns  
a stone up, while in Uncle Sam's  
domain two miles of it have been  
lynched.

At the evening services on  
Sunday next the Rev. W. Mac-  
Morine will preach on "Isaiah's  
Vision of God and its results."

## LOCALS

A. I. Blais was in town on  
Wednesday.

Rev. Marrell Wright was the  
guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sad-  
ler, during his visit in Cole-  
man.

Dr. A. E. Porter is having a  
lot graded on third st. opposite  
the school. The doctor will  
build a splendid residence next  
month.

Call and see the Coleman  
Realty Co. if you want Fire  
Insurance we have the best  
board companies doing business  
in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Holmes were  
agreeably surprised by seven-  
teen of their friends on Tuesday  
evening. The young people had  
a most enjoyable time. Danc-  
ing was indulged in until early  
Wednesday morning. Refresh-  
ments were served during the  
evening.

Your complexion as well as your  
temper is rendered miserable by a dis-  
order liver. By taking Chamber-  
lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you  
can improve both. Sold by all dealers.

Cheap powers means reduced prices  
The Coleman Miner has power print  
and can supply printing at a much  
lower price than those without  
power. Power enables a printer to  
produce a more artistic job. Ring up  
64 A or call at the office of Coleman  
Miner for any job work. Book bind-  
ing is now our speciality.

Rev. W. MacMorine and  
family returned on Saturday  
night from a short holiday at  
Lille.

Don't waste your money buying  
plasters when you can get a bottle of  
Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-  
five cents. A piece of flannel dampen-  
ed with this liniment is superior to any  
plaster for lame back, pains in the side  
and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by  
all dealers.

Mrs. Porter, wife of Dr. Porter  
of Oxford, expects to leave  
Oxford next week to join her  
husband who is now located  
at Coleman Alta. The depart-  
ure of Dr. and Mrs. Porter from  
Cumberland County will be  
sincerely regretted. Dr. Porter  
was one of Oxford's most patri-  
otic citizens and his departure  
will leave a large blank in that  
town.

—News and Sentinel Amherst.

### LILLE JOTTING

C. Faure is at present, on a  
visit to Calgary.

Mrs. J. D. McDonald who has  
been visiting friends in Califor-  
nia returned home last week.

Miss Norton has returned  
from her holiday and the child-  
ren are once more back to school.

Miss Williams and Miss Mary  
Williams have left for Calgary  
to resume their studies at Col-  
lege.

Visitors to Lille include: Rev.  
Mr. MacMorine and family, Rev.  
F. S. McColl, and Inspector  
Belcher.

Several new men have arrived  
in Lille during the past week;  
and we understand the hotel is  
quite full of boarders.

Coroner Pinkney left here  
on Sunday evening for Pincher  
Creek, where on Monday he  
held an inquest on the body of  
Michael Beardon. The jury re-  
turned the following verdict:  
That deceased Michael Beardon  
came to his death by falling  
from a horse and being tramped  
on and from the evidence it  
appears he had been drinking.

### Frank Miner Liberated

Deceaux, the Frank miner,  
who was incarcerated at Mac-  
leod, was proven not guilty be-  
fore Justice Harvey of the  
supreme court bench. Much  
excitement was created in the  
court room.

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are the men WHO THINK FOR THEMSELVES

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The Provincial Sunday School Convention, Nov. 1st. to the 4th will be a great event. Prof. L. L. Henry of Chicago, who is so well known in Alberta since the Mid-Summer Tour, will have charge of a large adult choir. Some of the speakers now secured are: Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, Chicago, "The International Elementary Queen"; Rev. I. W. Williamson, Sec'y for British Columbia; Rev. J. A. Doyle, a strong delegation provided by the Canadian Council of the Laymen's Missionary Movement and a host of others.

Special Railroad rates on all railroads and special entertainment in Calgary is being arranged. A large delegation is expected. Write H. A. Kenney, Calgary, for full particulars.

### ONCE IN COLEMAN

Walter B. Laing, a barber well known in Moyie, Cranbrook and other East Kootenay towns, was arrested at Macleod last week charged with having received stolen goods. For the past two weeks merchandise had been missing from several of the cars loaded with freight and standing in the yards at Macleod. A search warrant for the house and premises of Laing was procured. Laing keeps a pool room and lives in a house adjoining. After searching his holdings the following stuff was found in his possession: 10 pairs of boots, a quantity of ladies' and children's clothing, 2 boiled hams, one 50 lb. tin of lard, on cense of eggs, together with other goods. The Lender is informed that Laing was tried and sentenced to 3 years in the penitentiary at Stony Mountain.

### The Nelson Fair

The Free Attractions at the Nelson Fair this year to be held three days commencing Wednesday, September 28th, are far away ahead of anything previously attempted. A glance at the data already engaged will convince one that great expense has been incurred in securing such notable attractions as the Five Flying Banvards in their marvellous casting and leaping act 50 feet in the air, some idea of this act may be gained when we are told that the space required for the act is 50 feet in breadth and 60 feet in length, this act is without doubt one of the strongest of its kind on the continent, at one time it was the rage of Berlin, Germany, since when it has been featured with Ringling Bros and all the Big Circuses, another big act of national reputation is the Leo-Joe Troupe of three Ladies and two Gentlemen in a wonderful and refined Bicycle act, still another good comedy act "La Cat-

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## The Molly Gray

A Girl Makes Good a Claim

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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Clarkson stood aside his pocket. He posted his notice of possession by laying the paper on the newly broken ground and placing a stone on top to keep it from blowing away. Any one who jumped that claim now might expect the wild justice of the mining camp to be visited upon him.

As he drew over the camp the thunder of the stamp mills shook the air, and the blur of smoking chimneys dimmed the eastern sky.

Pete Clarkson's persistent efforts and dogged determination to find something that would enrich him sufficiently to offer Molly Gray a home had resulted in his striking what was probably the lost vein of the Great Dome ledge.

He stopped once at the house of Jim Gray, superintendent of the Great Dome, and Molly Gray, sweet as a rose, with gray eyes, brown hair, pink cheeks and pink gown, came to the door.

"How'd you make out, Pete?" she asked, her little brown hand lost in his great earth stained palm.

"It's the Molly Gray," he said quietly, thrusting the lump of ore into her other hand.

"Oh, Pete," she cried joyfully, "where?"

"On Crow ledge, near Crow rock."

"Where we saw the sunset that night?"

"Same place."

"What were you doing there, Pete?" she asked, with dimpling cheeks.

"Prospecting," he grinned sheepishly. Then, passing his hand over his unshorn chin, he nodded toward the Great Dome smelter. "I guess it will be all right now down there," he said confidently.

"You know it has always been all right with me, Pete," said Molly softly.

"I know," he said, "I'm so down now to get out my papers. I'll stop on my way back."

"Have you registered yet?" she asked anxiously.

"No, I haven't. I've first thing. Got her staked all right, though, and the name posted. Gosh! back there to make camp. So long, say you inter?"

And with a backward wave of his hand he looked down toward the registering office.

From the doorway of the cabin at the head of the street Molly, holding a pair of field glasses to her eyes, watched him enter the office.

Then her gaze fell upon the figure of a man sprawled upon the rough veranda encircling the one roomed building. A wide-brimmed hat was drawn over his eyes, and to all appearance he was lost in slumber.

Molly looked at the open window over the man's head and calculated that if Pete Clarkson announced his discovery in his usual bluff, hearty accents it could readily be heard by the man on the veranda if he were awake and listening, and if it should prove to be Dave Lundy, who was own brother to Jim Lundy, the registrar of claims, why, then, Pete Clarkson would have a race for the Great Dome was all. She remembered the case of Allan Smith, the young prospector from the east who under a find and staked his claim. Before he could register it and return to the scene Dave Lundy had news of the find and had jumped the claim. With his brother to back his title to it Lundy had defeated the sheriff and his posse to oust him. Young Smith had shot himself, and, after all, the mine had proved worthless.

Ah, the moment one arose slowly, stretched himself and took a careful survey of the street; then, with a swift movement, leaped into the saddle of a waiting sorrel and rode out Black line. It was Dave Lundy.

Presently she saw Pete emerge from the registry office and cross the street to the assayers. With sudden energy she reentered the house, scribbled a few lines informing Pete of her whereabouts in case she could not find him, pinned the note to the front door, nudged her little mare Daisy, mounted and dashed down the street toward the assayer's office.

"Pete Clarkson!" repeated throwing. "Just left here for down the street."

"If he comes back tell him to go up to our place. There's a message for him. Will you tell him that?" she inquired breathlessly.

"Sure thing, Miss Molly," he said heartily; then he watched her disappear down the long street and out upon the short cut through the canyon to Crow Mountain. The afternoon sun shone on her better head, and the light wind fluttered her pink skirts as the little mare broke into a gallop.

Once she drew rein and took a swift survey of the country.

Mike after mile the mare covered, scrambling up steep billides and sliding recklessly down the slopes. Molly, with blazing eyes and compressed lips, watched for the reappearance of the sorrel horse and its stouche rider, Lundy, taking advantage of the information he had gleaned at the registry office, would remove Pete's stake, substitute one of his own and claim possession of the Molly Gray. If she could only reach Crow rock before Dave Lundy she would fight with all the

resources of old Jim Gray himself for the possession of her lover's rights.

Molly frowned as she thought of these things over, and every now and then she turned and looked back along the trail for some sign of the approach of Pete Clarkson. If he returned to the cabin as he had intended doing, he would find her there.

With no other bearing in time to the muffled tramp of Daisy's hoofs, she drew rein on the crest of the ledge and looked about for Dave Lundy, but he was not in sight, and with renewed confidence she ventured along the narrow, uneven trail to Crow rock.

When she rounded the rock the sorrel was slipping the parcel turf and Lundy, on his knees, was studying a piece of white paper into his pocket. His back was toward her, and he had doubtless mistaken the tread of her horse for the tramping of his own beast.

"Look here, Dave Lundy!"

Lundy jumped to his feet and looked into the barrel of a revolver leveled with cool precision.

"You sit over there, you young lady," he snarled defiantly, making a movement to grasp her bridle rein.

"Stop there or I'll fire!" she said calmly.

"What do you want?" he growled, looking at her out of stealthy red eyes.

"I want you to put that paper back in the hole," she commanded sharply.

"And if I don't?" he grinned savagely.

"By crying, if you don't," she said, with a menacing glance. "I believe I'll just bore your right arm!"

"The devil you will! It seems to me you are pretty highly tighty, miss."

"Are you going to do that?" she asked.

"Oh, sure, of course I couldn't refuse a lady," he said, tossing the paper from his pocket with his right hand and curtly reaching with his left around to his hip.

"Your left hand up!" she commanded sternly.

With a muttered oath he swung his arm aloft. The sorrel horse drew near and thrust an inquiring nose toward his master. With a quick movement Lundy held out the paper, the sorrel caught it between his lips and in an instant it fell to the ground a mass of pulp. Lundy laughed exultingly.

"Molly Gray whitened about the lips. "Other!" he said, she commanded shortly.

The man obeyed.

"Turn your back and walk toward me. Then, as he hesitated, she added contentedly: "Don't be afraid I'm not going to shoot you in the back."

He turned sullenly and backed slowly up to the mare's side. With muzzle pressed close to his shock of rough hair he abstracted the slip of paper from his belt and ascertained that there was no other weapon. The man trembled slightly. It was a pesky dangerous thing, having a revolver, once one knew what—

"Now walk forward twenty steps and don't turn; if you do it will be for the last time!" Molly did not require her own sweet voice to the firm tones that cut the air like the lash of a whip.

The man obeyed. When, at her word he turned, he faced about, the feet of the little mare were gathered in the hole in the ground, and her rider, with shining eyes and bright, glad smile, looked at him down the length of his own six-shooter.

"In fifteen minutes at the latest Pete Clarkson, Mill Hodges and the sheriff will strike this ledge. I advise you, Dave Lundy, if you value your life, to prospect around Cartertown way for a few years. The trail is plain; there's your horse, and I'm giving you a chance."

Lundy looked back down the trail. Several horsemen were riding rapidly up Crow rock bottom. There was a flash of sunlight on metal.

With a muttered curse he turned toward his horse. "Molly did not require her own sweet voice to the firm tones that cut the air like the lash of a whip."

"It's not a holdup; it's a hold down," he muttered Molly sullenly.

As Lundy disappeared among the distant mountains along three men rode up the trail and rounded Crow rock in a cloud of dust and a scatter of flying stones. Molly Gray, with trembling lips, smiled upon them.

"Where is he?" demanded Pete, while the other men looked unimpaired disappointment and admiration upon pretty Molly.

She pointed toward the west, where a solitary horseman was silhouetted against the amber sunset sky as it dropped behind a distant hill.

"So you let the critter go!" uttered the sheriff ruefully.

Pete looked at her questioningly.

"I didn't want bloodshed on Crow rock, Pete," she explained in a low tone.

A light of understanding came into his eyes. "No, don't let him."

"That's all right, sheriff. I guess that coyote won't jump any more claims hereabouts, I reckon."

"Where is your claim, Pete?" asked Hodges, looking curiously around.

"Here it is," interpolated Molly, bashing. "He was jumping it when?"

"And you stood him off?" chorused the men.

She nodded gravely. "He fed the paper to the horse, so I held him up, and now I'm holding down the claim myself."

"I don't understand," said Hodges bluntly.

"Why, you see," faltered Molly, while Pete grinned fatuously upon her.

"I'm the claim—that is, I'm Molly Gray, and I'm taking down the claim. It's the Molly Gray, you know," she said, slipping down from the saddle into the outstretched arms of her lover.

## AN UNPLEASANT TASK.

Which Falls to the Lot of England's Lord Chamberlain.

To the Lord Chamberlain of the English court is intrusted the delicate and certainly unpleasant mission of quietly intimating to men and women, sometimes of the highest rank, their presence at court and at entertainments which royalty may attend is no longer welcome.

These intimations are not necessarily the result of any public scandal. They are sometimes a manifestation of royal disapproval of conduct and of indiscretions that are known to royalty very few. It is in this way that King George and Queen Mary, the Edward VII and Queen Alexandra in the previous reign, may be said to have police unobtrusively English society.

Queen Alexandra took a far more active part in this than is generally known. True, she is reluctant at all times to believe wrong of anyone, and, differing from Queen Victoria, has a hatred for gossip. For the old queen delighted in knowing everything that was going on in society, and in being kept thoroughly posted by her ladies in waiting. But once Queen Victoria had her attention drawn to conduct of which she disapproved, she became adamant in her refusal to hold any further intercourse with the person in question.

There are plenty of things which never reach the ears of the public, which, however, which, which, nevertheless, are sufficient to bar people from court.

For instance, what may be described as the social conspiracies, "romances" in which money is allowed to play a part, neglect payment of debts of honor, the social position of undesirable people in return for cash, etc., all sooner or later—generally sooner—reach the ears of the King, and of his entourage, and the result is that the names of the offenders are removed by the Lord Chamberlain from what may be described as the royal visiting list.

## NOTHING IS TOO QUEER.

To Be Placed In The Distended Ear Lobes of a Masai Belief.

Among certain tribes in British East Africa an enormously distended ear lobe is a sign of beauty and of ultra-refinement. A belle who really wants to lead her "set" spares herself neither pain nor inconvenience to achieve the sort of ear which fashion dictates. One of the favorite methods employed is to pierce the hole of the ear and insert a stick or wedge made of wood. Gradually this hole is enlarged by the introduction of thicker pieces of wood, until it is large enough to receive a small, round, grooved running round it. These stones vary in size, but the ultimate result is a large, round, fleshy lobe, which is rounded, cord-like loop, which in the black ears of these men and women Masai women the full-sized ear is considered to have been attained when the cutaneous ring on one side will enclose its fellow over the crown of the head.

When the lobe has been stretched to this extent, it becomes the receptacle of many strange things, such as plugs of wood, rings of horn or of ebony; occasionally a can or a ball of iron will be found in it. The women wear a curious ear ring, as well as a necklace made of iron wire. The coils of iron wire resemble the firework known as a Catherine wheel.

Woman's ear rings are of great consequence, for no woman ventures to have them off during the husband's lifetime. Should she happen to take them off while doing her work she would be deemed to have abandoned her husband, and if the husband went away from home she would not venture to take her ear rings off for fear other men should see her without them.

## Suffragette Throws Policeman.

A practical test of suffragette justice has taken place between Mrs. Garrud, an expert in the Japanese art, and a policeman. Mrs. Garrud is one of the organizers of the woman athletes' branch of the Women's Freedom League, and her object is to make Jujitsu an additional weapon of woman's fight for the vote. A policeman good naturedly agreed to test her. He weighed thirteen stones, but for a good few minutes he could not get a grip of the woman, who stands but four feet ten inches. Then suddenly the thing happened. In a flash the woman fell on her back, with the massive policeman towering above her. Up shot her feet to meet his discomfited head. In less than ten seconds the suffragette had thrown the policeman. Five minutes later, when he once more condescended to stand upright, the puzzled policeman again carefully regarded Mrs. Garrud. Contemptuously he scratched his head.

"If that had happened on the pavement instead of this mat the police force would be one man short at this moment," he said.

## Huge Fossil Found.

An interesting discovery of the fossilized remains of an extinct monster has recently been made at Mullaley, N.S.W. The animal's backbone measured eighteen feet, while the bones of the leg measured six inches long.

The find was sent to the Sydney Museum, where it was studied by Dr. Anderson, who said he had come to the conclusion that the remains were those of a Diprotodon, ages ago extinct.

## Tried to Wreck Train.

A serious attempt was made recently to wreck the Darlington mail train at Darlington, India. A large boulder had been deliberately placed on the line. Owing to the train running slowly it was not derailed. This is the first attempt at track-wrecking that has been made on the Eastern Bengal Railway. The motive for the deed is believed to have been political.

## Still Knocking.

Mrs. Stubbs—"John, this health magazine states that more bachelors take Turkish baths than married men."

Mr. Stubbs (smiling)—"Well, that's nothing extraordinary. Maria, you know that there's lots of married men whose wives keep them in 'hot water' all of the time."

She (horror-stricken)—"That's my own summer hat in the chair there. What are you doing, George?"

He (mexically)—"I'm sitting on the style, Mary."

A well-known barrister, although possessed of a suave voice and a stately manner, nevertheless had a way of bowing down the foe with almost savage wit. "Once in court, he had to follow counsel for the prosecution, who had delivered his remarks in very loud tones. "Now that the noise in court has subsided," murmured the barrister, "I will tell your lordship in two sentences, the gist of the case."

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## Bedeuins and Water.

It is not unusual to hear a Bedouin upon reaching a camp where water is offered him refuse it with the remark, "I drank only yesterday." On the Bedouins' long marches across dry countries the size of the water skins is nicely calculated to just outlast the journey, and the Bedouins allow themselves to break the habit of abstemiousness, as this would be sure to make their next water fast all the harder. They are accustomed from infancy to regard water as the most precious commodity and use it with religious economy. They know every hollow and nook in the mountains where water can be found. Their camels and goats, which they take with them on the marches to supply them with milk and meat, live principally on the scanty herbage and foliage of the thorny bushes. Neither men nor animals drink more than once in forty-eight hours. No wonder they can subsist where invaders quickly perish.

## Miss That Sublet on Scorpions.

Among the queer forms of animal life that inhabit Death valley is a mouse that has acquired such a taste for scorpions that they form its staple diet. The scorpion carries its formidable armament in the end of its slender, elongated abdomen in the shape of an exceedingly venomous hooked sting. When disturbed it elevates its tail in the air and brandishes its formidable armament in the end of its slender, elongated abdomen in the shape of an exceedingly venomous hooked sting. When disturbed it elevates its tail in the air and brandishes its formidable armament in the end of its slender, elongated abdomen in the shape of an exceedingly venomous hooked sting.

When going away from home, or at any change of habitat, he is a wise man who nimbly seizes his belongings, a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial. Change of food and water in some strange place where there are no doctors may bring on an attack of dysentery. He then has a standard remedy at hand with which to cope with the disorder, and forearmed he can successfully fight the ailment and subdue it.

"Well, thank goodness you've never seen me run after people who have money."

"No, but I've seen people run after you because you didn't have money."

## A Slight Burden.

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